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General Doug Lee (Retired USAR) - lost religious liberty http://afaofpa.org/listen/

News From Around PA
Attorney General Kathleen Kane did not enter a plea during an arraignment hearing in Montgomery County over the weekend. Her lawyer says she has no plans to resign from office.

Equality Act introduced in Congress. In the House HR 3185 has five PA co-sponsors: Robert Brady (D-1st), Chaka Fattah (D-2nd), Brendan Boyle (D-13th) Michael Doyle (D-14th), Matthew Cartwright (D-17th). Senate version is S 1858, neither Senator Casey or Toomey have signed on as co-sponsors. Opening line in the bills: "Discrimination can occur on the basis of the sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or pregnancy, childbirth, or a related medical condition of an individual, as well as because of sex-based stereotypes." Religious freedom restoration acts are powerless under the bills. Homosexual and abortion activists uniting to destroy the country!

U.S. District Judge Terrence F. McVerry ruled that the Ten Commandments monument at Valley Junior-Senior High School in New Kensington can remain.

Commonwealth Court ruled SEPTA is exempt from Philly's "LGBT-inclusive non-discrimination ordinance."

News from National Scene
The Obama Administration released the first update to the National HIV/AIDS Strategy. Vision of the plan: helping the nation "become a place where new HIV infections are rare, and when they do occur, every person, regardless of age, gender, race/ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity or socio-economic circumstance, will have unfettered access to high-quality, life-extending care, free from stigma and discrimination." (Note: extending policies that validate the lifestyle that is the center of the epidemic will not help attain this goal.)

Amnesty International passed a policy endorsing the decriminalization of prostitution, recommending "full decriminalization of all aspects of consensual sex work." It argues its research suggests decriminalization is the best way to defend sex workers' human rights.

Arkansas has become the fourth state to defund Planned Parenthood.

Center for Immigration Studies reports the total Mexican immigration population in the United States stands at 12.1 million people as of this year, a jump from 11.4 million a year ago.

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